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Paper MCA - 202 - Discrete Mathematics

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Maximum Marks 60

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*Attempt all questions*

*Parts of a question should be answered together*

1 (a) Let A and B be two sets

(i) Given that  $A - B = B$ , what can be said about A and B ?

(ii) Given that  $A - B = B - A$ , what can be said about A and B ? (3)

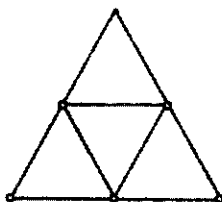
(b) Show that if a relation on a set A is transitive and irreflexive, then it is asymmetric (2)

(c) A = set of real numbers,  $aRb$  if and only if  $a^2 + b^2 = 4$ . Determine whether R is reflexive, irreflexive, symmetric, asymmetric, antisymmetric or transitive (3)

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- (d) Prove that if  $R$  is reflexive and transitive, then  $R^n = R$  for all  $n$  (2)

- 2 (a) What is the minimum numbers of colors that is needed to property color the following graph?



Determine the chromatic polynomial for the same (2)

- (b) Show that if a bounded Lattice has two or more elements, then  $0 \neq 1$  (2)

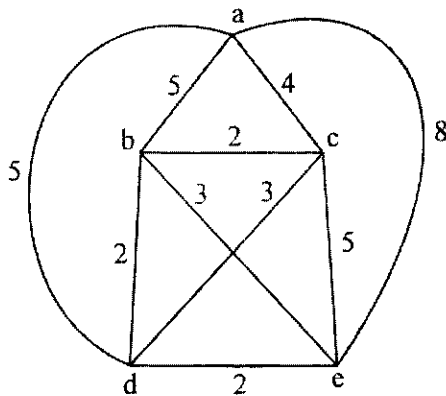
- (c) Let  $G = (V, E)$  be a linear directed graph where  $V$  represents a set of people and  $E$  represents a parent-child relationship such that an edge  $(a, b)$  in  $E$  means  $a$  is a parent of  $b$

(i) What interpretation can be given the outgoing degree of each vertex?

(ii) What can be the maximum value of the incoming degree of any vertex? (2)

- (d) Show that a regular binary tree has an odd number of vertices (3)

- 3 (a) Determine a minimum spanning tree for the following graph (3)



- (b) Show that a linear planar graph with less than 30 edges has a vertex of degree 4 or less (3)
- (c) Prove that a circuit and the complement of any spanning tree must have atleast one edge in common (2)
- (d) A tree has  $2n$  vertices of degree 1,  $3n$  vertices of degree 2, and  $n$  vertices of degree 3. Determine the number of vertices and edges in the tree (2)
- 4 (a) Let  $c = ab$ . Show that

$$\Delta c_r = a_{r+1}(\Delta b_r) + b_r(\Delta a_r) \quad (2)$$

(b) Determine  $a * b$  in the following

$$a_r = 1 \text{ for all } r$$

$$b_r = \begin{cases} 1 & r = 1 \\ 2 & r = 3 \\ 3 & r = 5 \\ -6 & r = 7 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad (3)$$

(c) Find the generating function for the following numeric function

$$0 \times 1, 1 \times 2, 2 \times 3, 3 \times 4, \dots \quad (3)$$

(d) Determine the particular solution of

$$a_r - 4a_{r-1} + 4a_{r-2} = 2^r \quad (2)$$

5 (a) Show that the truth value of the expression is independent of its components

$$((P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R)) \rightarrow (P \rightarrow R) \quad (2)$$

(b) Convert the following notations to infix

$$(i) \rightarrow \neg P \vee Q \Leftrightarrow R \neg S$$

$$(ii) PQ \rightarrow RQ \rightarrow \wedge PR \vee \wedge Q \rightarrow \quad (4)$$

(c) Express  $(P \downarrow Q)$  in terms of  $\uparrow$  (NAND) only

(2)

- (d) Show that  $R \vee S$  follows logically from the premises given

$$\text{CVD}, \text{CVD} \rightarrow \neg H, \neg H \rightarrow (A \wedge \neg B) \ \& \ (A \wedge \neg B) \rightarrow (R \vee S) \quad (2)$$

- 6 (a) For any two functions  $f(n)$  and  $g(n)$ ,  $f(n) = \theta(g(n))$  if and only if  $f(n) = O(g(n))$  and  $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$  (3)

- (b) Show that  $\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{k^2}$  is bounded above by a constant (3)

- (c) Use the master method to give tight asymptotic bounds for the recurrence relation

$$T(n) = 1T(n/3) + n \quad (2)$$

- (d) Is  $\lfloor -x \rfloor = -\lceil x \rceil$  true for all real numbers  $x$ ?  
Justify (2)